

Curriculum Vitae
For
Ronald McCowan, M.D., MBA

Personal

Married, three children

Education

BA Biology - 1976 - Oakwood College, Huntsville, AL

MD - 1980 - Loma Linda University Loma Linda, CA

MBA - 2009 - Healthcare Management -
Regis University, Denver, CO

Professional Training

Internal Medicine - 1981-1984 White Memorial Hosp, Los Angeles, CA

Cardiology - 1984-1987 White Memorial Hosp, Los Angeles, CA

Electrophysiology - 1987-1989 Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

Palliative Care - 2016 - 2017 - UC Irvine at Irvine, CA

Work Experience - 1989-2005 – member of Charleston Cardiology Group
Practiced general cardiology and electrophysiology

2005 - April 2016 – practicing in/managing Arrhythmia Treatment Associates
an electrophysiology practice that I started in 2005. This
required strong teamwork, negotiation, conflict
management, and problem solving skills. There were eight
employees and up to four providers.

July 2016 – June 2017 - Palliative Care Fellowship at UC Irvine in Irvine, CA

July 2017 – present - Medical Director Palliative Care at RUHS,

Moreno Valley, CA

1989 – 2010 – Director Electrophysiology – CAMC, Charleston, WV

1991 – July 2016 - Clinical Assistant Professor – Department of Medicine

Hospital committees - Hospital EHR (Soarian) – past
Product Review Committee - past
Ethics Committee

Medical Licenses

California - #G47273 issued April 29, 2014 and good till 2026

Board Certification

Internal Medicine – ABIM, Sept 1984

Cardiology - ABIM, Nov 1987

Electrophysiology – ABIM, April 2016 (recertification)

Hospice and Palliative Care – ABIM, Nov 2022

Community Outreach -

2004 – 2011 – I started, organized, and was chairman of a medical society in WV to address community health disparities. We did health screenings and an annual medical conference.

Faculty Appointment

WV University School of Medicine – Associate Clinical Professor – 1990 – 2016

UC Riverside – Associate Clinical Professor – 2017 - present

Publications

Abstracts:

1. McCowan, R; Wilkoff, B; Simmons,T; et al. Automatic Cardioverter Defibrillator Implantation Without Thoracotomy. PACE 1989, vol 12, p. 645 #43 (abstr)
2. McCowan, R; Maloney, J; Khoury,D; etal. Automatic Implantable CardioverterDefibrillator Implantation By a Non-Thoracotomy Approach. JACC, Vol 13, #2, Feb. 1989; 217A.
3. Corbelli, R; McAlister, H; Rashidi, R; Ballas, S; McCowan, R; Castle,L Morant, V; Simmons, T. Initial Beep-O-Gram experience; Assessment Of AICD Sensing Function. PACE 1989. Vol. 12, p 665, #118
4. Williams, D; Walsh, T; McCowan, R; et al. Automatic Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillator-Related Complications. JAAC 1990, Vol. 15, #2, 5SA.
5. Vanerio, G; Rashidi,R; McCowan, R; et al. Effect of Catheter Ablation Procedures on Permanent Pacemakers. Circulation 1990, 82: 111-182.

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6. Ballas, S; Rashidi, R; McAlister, H; Corbelli, R, McCowan, R; et al. The Use of Beep-O-Gram In The Assessment of Automatic Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator Sensing Function. PACE, 1989, Vol 12, 1737.
7. McCowan, R; Maloney, J; Wilkoff, B et al. Automatic Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator Implantation Without Thoracotomy Using An Endocardial and Submuscular Patch System. JACC, 1991, Vol 17, #2, 415- 421.
8. McCowan, R; Sampath, R; Lee, K; Rashid, H; Cafoncelli, A; Khan, Z; Malik, F; et al. Management of Malignant Ventricular Arrhythmias Using Antitachycardia Devices. The West Virginia Medical Journal, September 1991, Vol 84
9. McCowan, R. Electrophysiologic Studies: Recent Experience at the Charleston Area Medical Center. The West Virginia Medical Journal, 1991; 87: 108-112.

10. McCowan, R, Wilkoff, B, McAlisster, H, Simmons, T. Catheter Ablation for Recurrent Ventricular Tachycardia. Cleveland Clinic Journal of Medicine, Vol 59, number 2, March/April 1992.
11. McCowan, R; Tone, L; Thorpe, C, et al. The Use of Head-Up Tilt Table Testing in the Evaluation of Unexplained Syncope. The West Virginia Medical Journal, June 1992, Vol 88: 233-235.
12. McCowan, R; Tone, L; Thorpe, C, et al. Supraventricular Tachycardia: Catheter Ablation Therapy in 72 Patients. The West Virginia Medical Journal. August 1993, Vol 89: 8.
13. McCowan, R; Slayyeh, Y; Cook, F; et al. Transvenous Implantation of Cardioverters in the Electrophysiology Laboratory at CAMC. The West Virginia Medical Journal, September/October 1995, Vol 91.

Books

McCowan, Ronald "From Karnak to Compton: One man's journey and presence." Enaz Publications, 2012.

McCowan, Ronald "The Wait, the Wilderness, and the Captivity: A Handbook for Staying in the Way" Christian Faith Publishing, Inc., 2019